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CLASSIFICATION AND IDENTIFICATION OF VARIOUS DISORDERS



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BASIC REQUIREMENTS

FIRMNESS

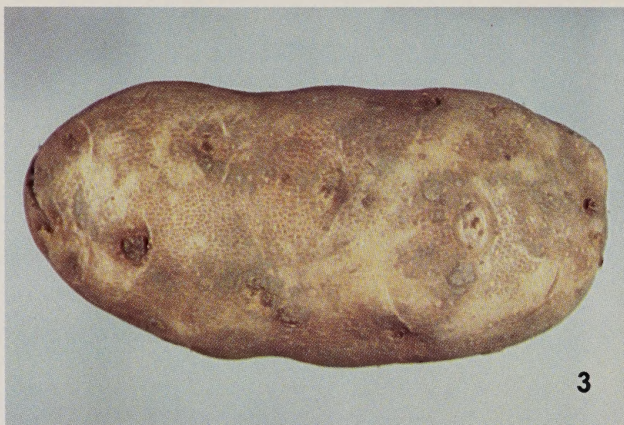


Not shriveled or flabby
U.S. No. 1 — maximum allowed



Not seriously shriveled or flabby
U.S. No. 2 — maximum allowed

CLEANNESS



Clean (dry) — maximum allowed *



Clean (wet) — maximum allowed *

* Equal amount or less allowed on opposite side.

CLEANNESS



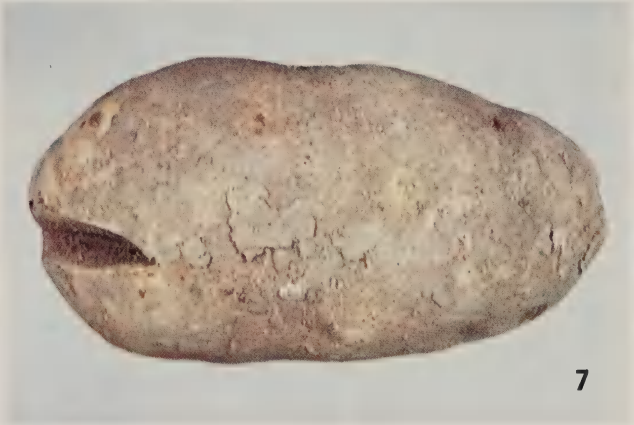
Fairly clean (dry) — maximum allowed *



Fairly clean (wet) — maximum allowed *

* Equal amount or less allowed on opposite side.

CLEANNESS



Slightly dirty (dry) *
U.S. No. 2 — not fairly clean



Slightly dirty (wet) *
U.S. No. 2 — not fairly clean

* Equal amount or less allowed on opposite side.

CLEANNESS



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Not seriously damaged by dirt
U.S. No. 2 — maximum allowed



10

Not seriously damaged by dirt
U.S. No. 2 — maximum allowed

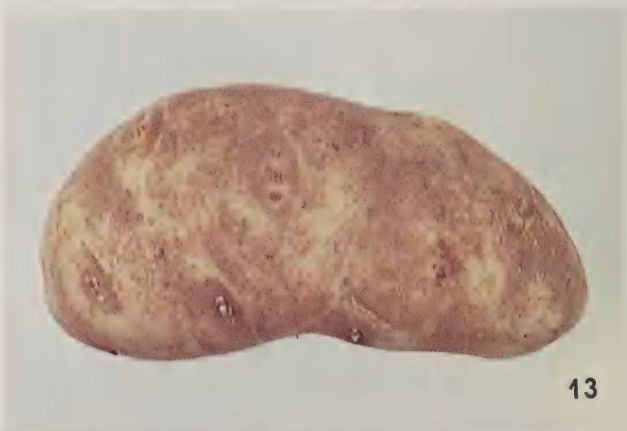
SHAPE



Well shaped
U.S. Extra No. 1 - maximum allowed



Well shaped
U.S. Extra No. 1 - maximum allowed



Well shaped
U.S. Extra No. 1 - maximum allowed

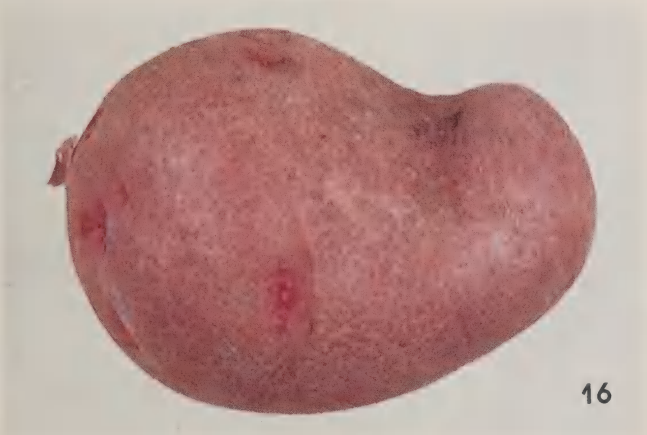
SHAPE



Fairly well shaped
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Fairly well shaped
U.S. No. 1 - maximum allowed



Fairly well shaped
U.S. No. 1 - maximum allowed

SHAPE



17

Fairly well shaped
U.S. No. 1 — maximum allowed



18

Not seriously misshapen
U.S. No. 2 — maximum allowed



19

Not seriously misshapen
U.S. No. 2 - maximum allowed

SHAPE



Not seriously misshapen
U.S. No. 2 - maximum allowed



Not seriously misshapen
U.S. No. 2 - maximum allowed



Not seriously misshapen
U.S. No. 2 - maximum allowed

SKINNING CLASSIFICATIONS



Practically no skinning *



Slightly skinned *

* Equal amount or less allowed on opposite side.

SKINNING CLASSIFICATIONS



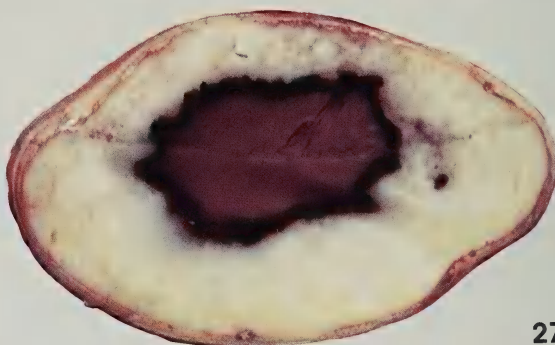
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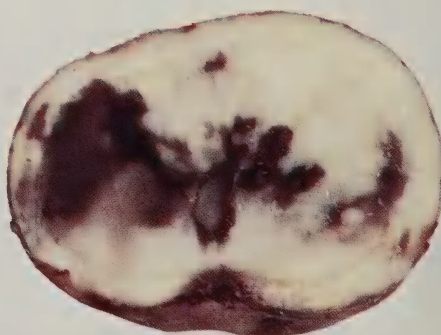
Badly skinned *

* Equal amount or less allowed on opposite side.

FREE FROM DEFECTS
Any amount scored against all grades.



Blackheart



Blackheart



FREE FROM DEFECTS

Any amount scored against all grades.



30

Freezing injury (internal)



31

Freezing injury (wet-leaking)



32

Late Blight Tuber Rot

FREE FROM DEFECTS
Any amount scored against all grades.



Late Blight Tuber Rot



Late Blight Tuber Rot



FREE FROM DEFECTS

Any amount scored against all grades.



Bacterial Ring Rot



Southern Bacterial Wilt (Brown Rot)



Southern Bacterial Wilt (Brown Rot)

FREE FROM DEFECTS

Any amount scored against all grades.

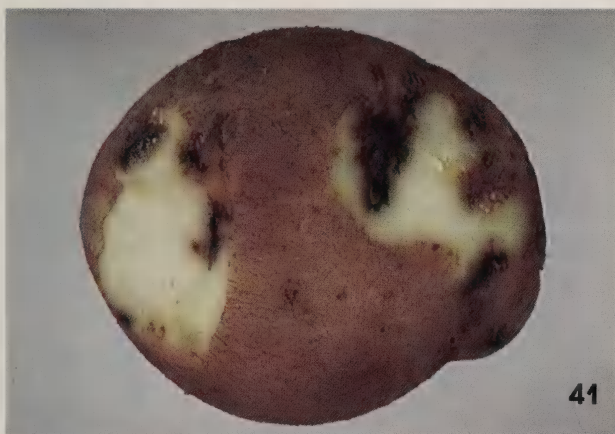


Bacterial Soft Rot (Slimy Soft Rot)

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Alternaria Tuber Rot (Early Blight)



Alternaria Tuber Rot (Early Blight)

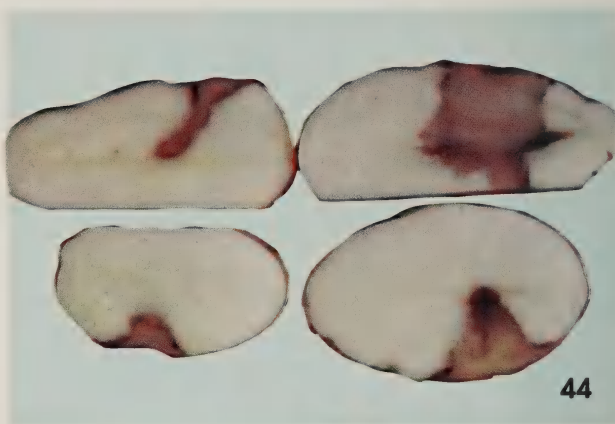


Blackleg

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Blackleg



Charcoal Rot



Charcoal Rot

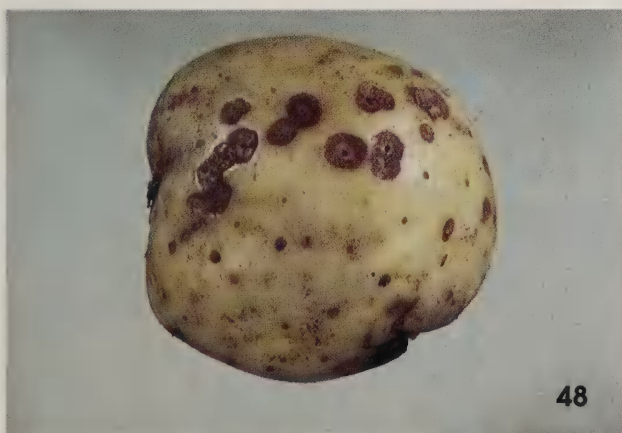
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Corky Ring Spot



Corky Ring Spot



Enlarged lenticels (coalesced)

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Enlarged lenticels (raised)



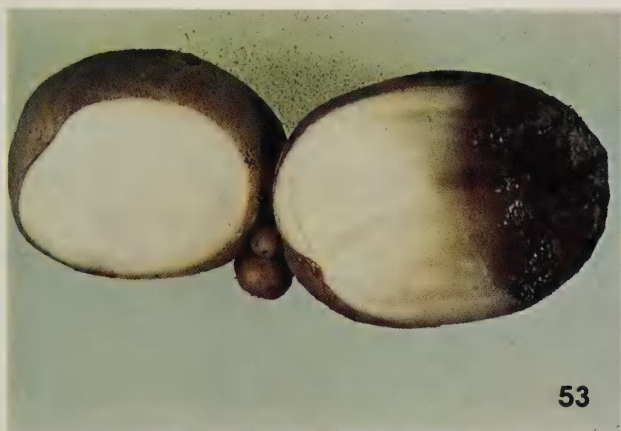
Flea Beetle



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Fusarium Tuber Rot

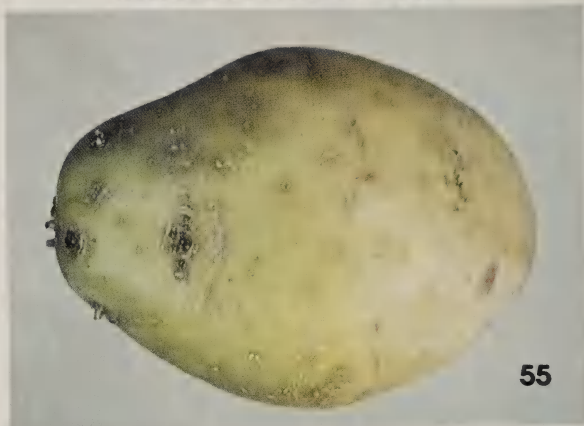


Glassy End Rot (Jelly End Rot)



Grass

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Greening



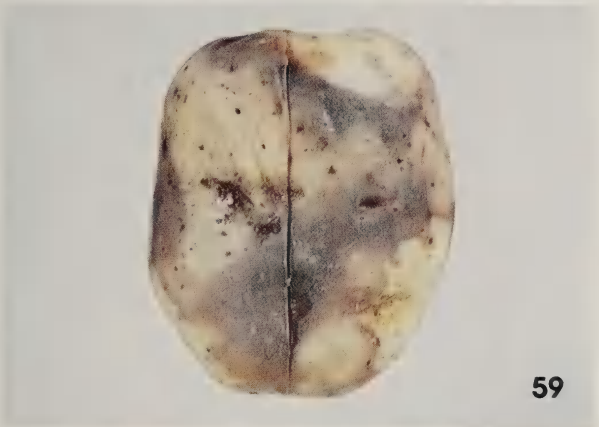
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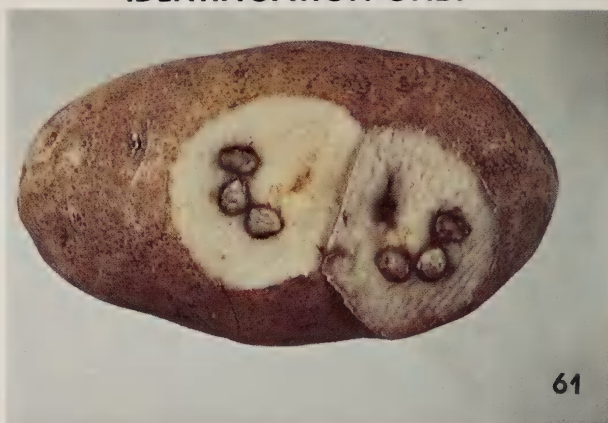


Heat or water damage



Ingrown sprouts

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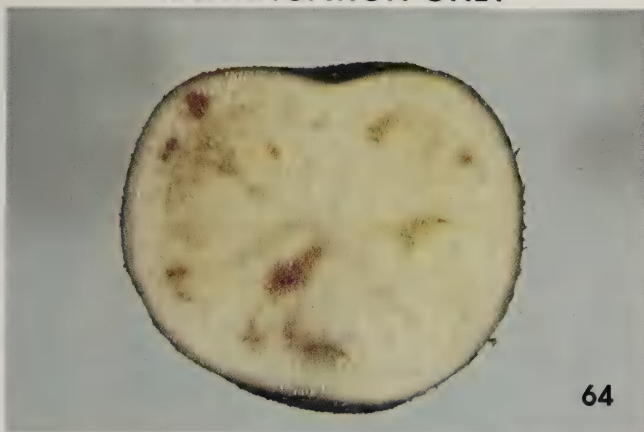
Ingrown sprouts



Internal Black Spot



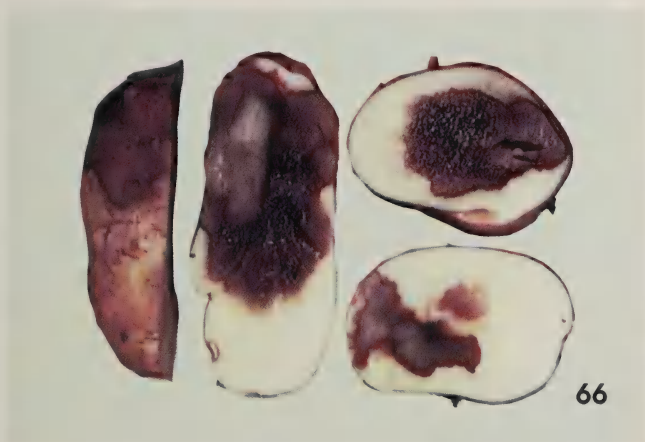
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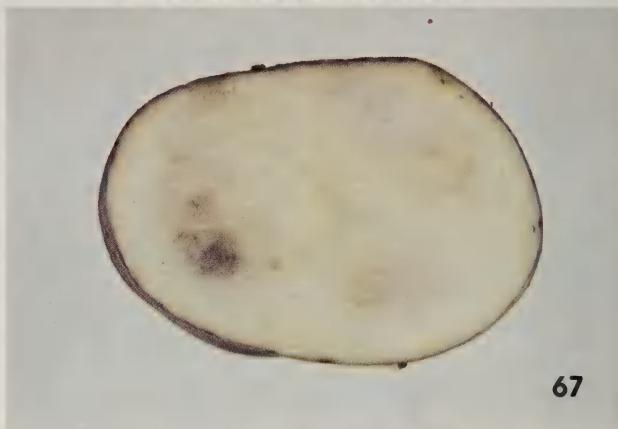


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Leak

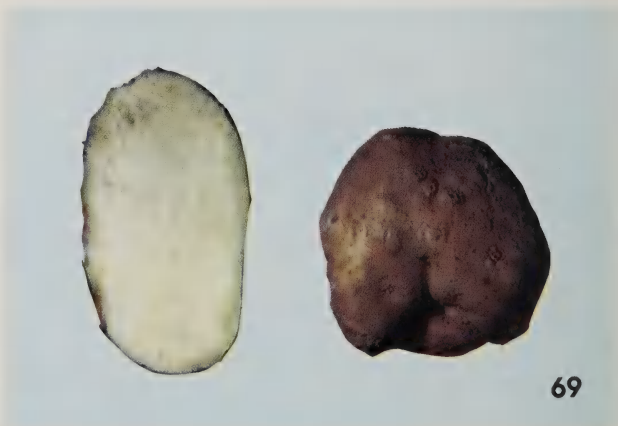
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Mahogany Browning



Mahogany Browning



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Net Necrosis



Net Necrosis

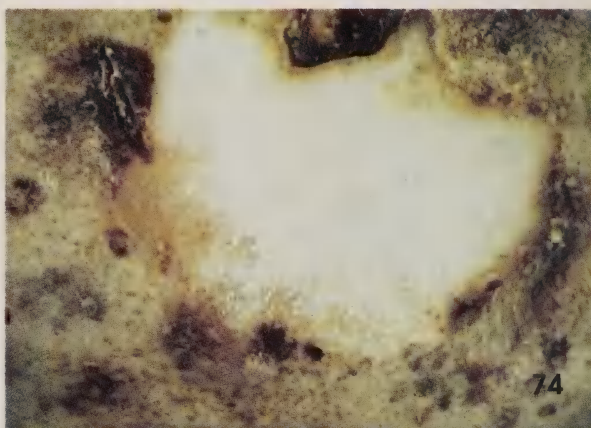


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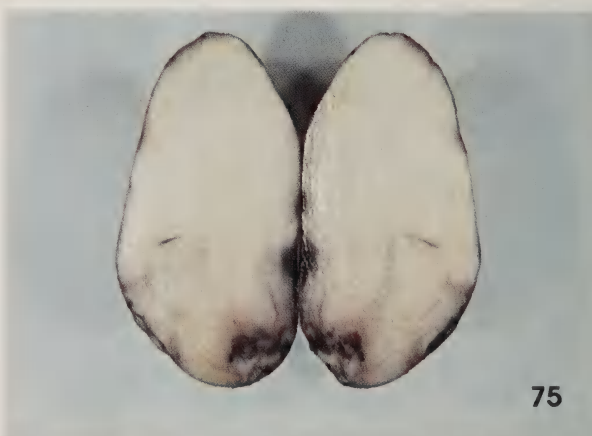
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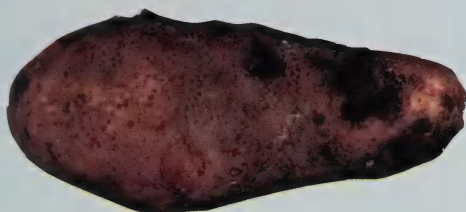
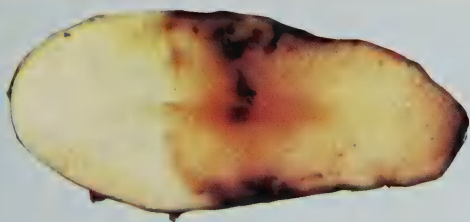


Pink Eye



Pink Rot

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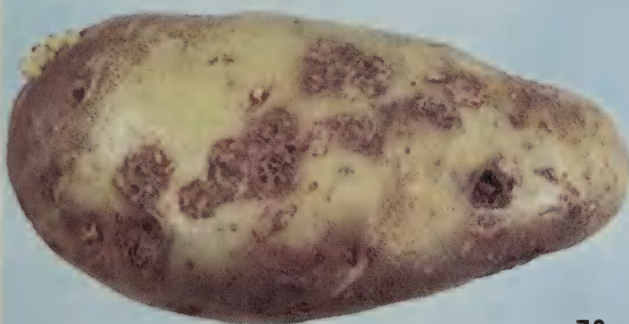
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Pink Rot



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Sclerotium Rot



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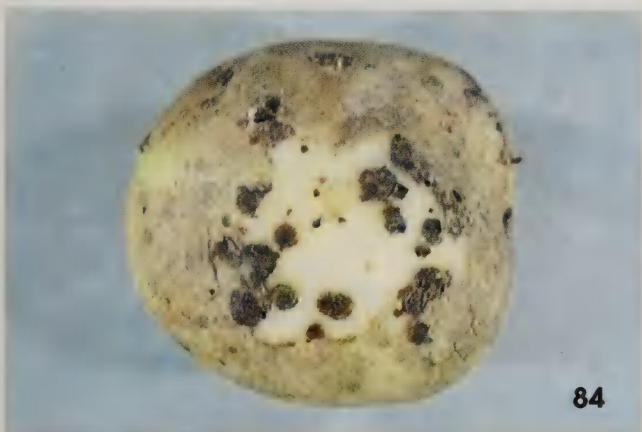
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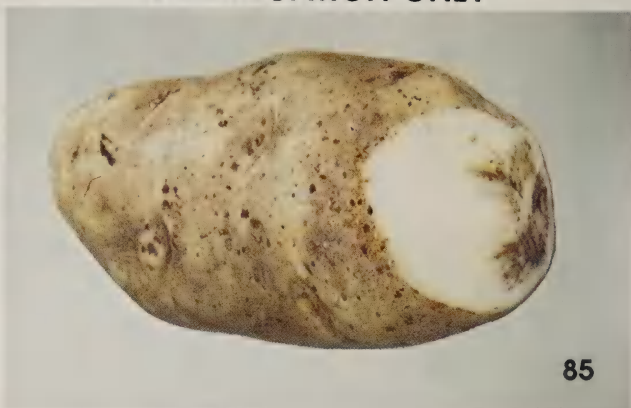
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Skin spots

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Stem End Browning



Sunburn



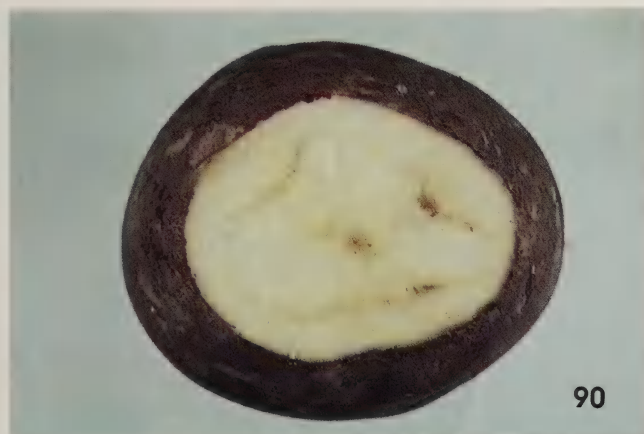
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Tuber Moth



Tuber Moth



Vascular discoloration

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Vascular discoloration



Worm damage

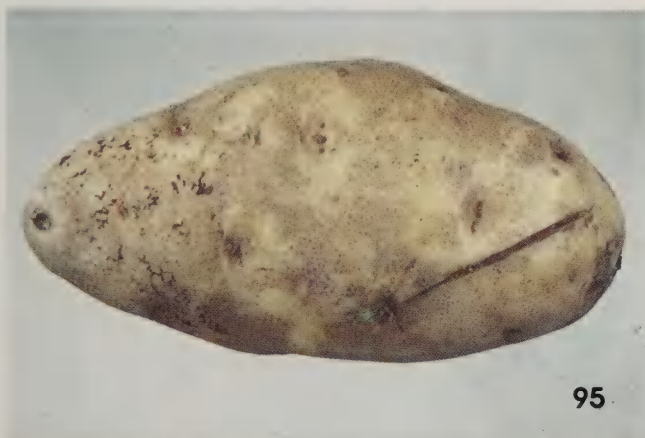


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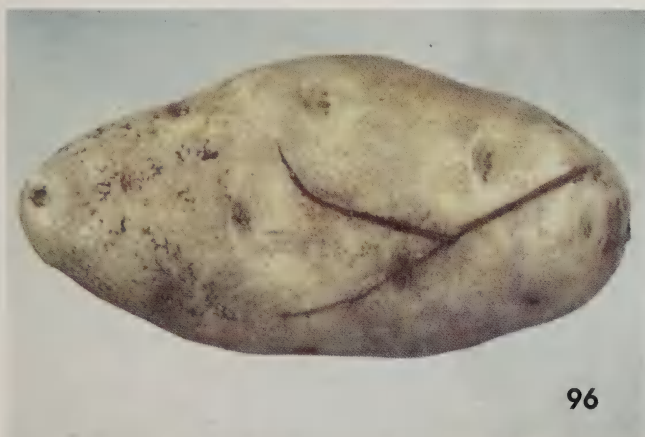
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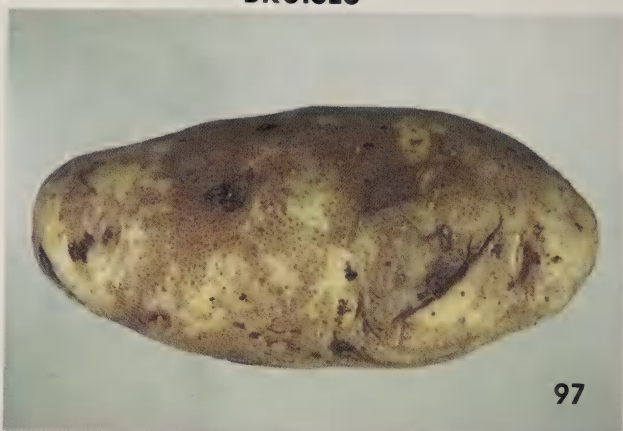


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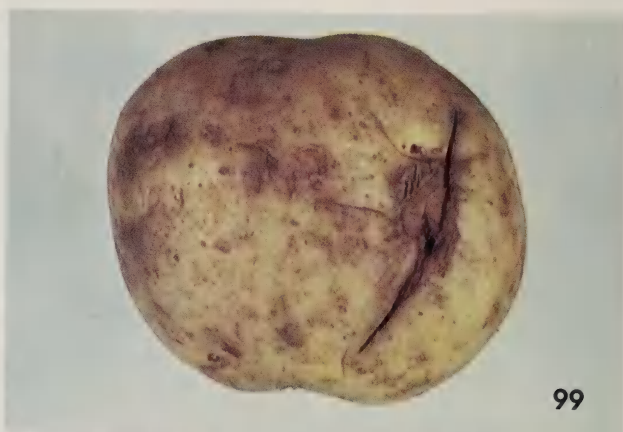
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CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS CUTS

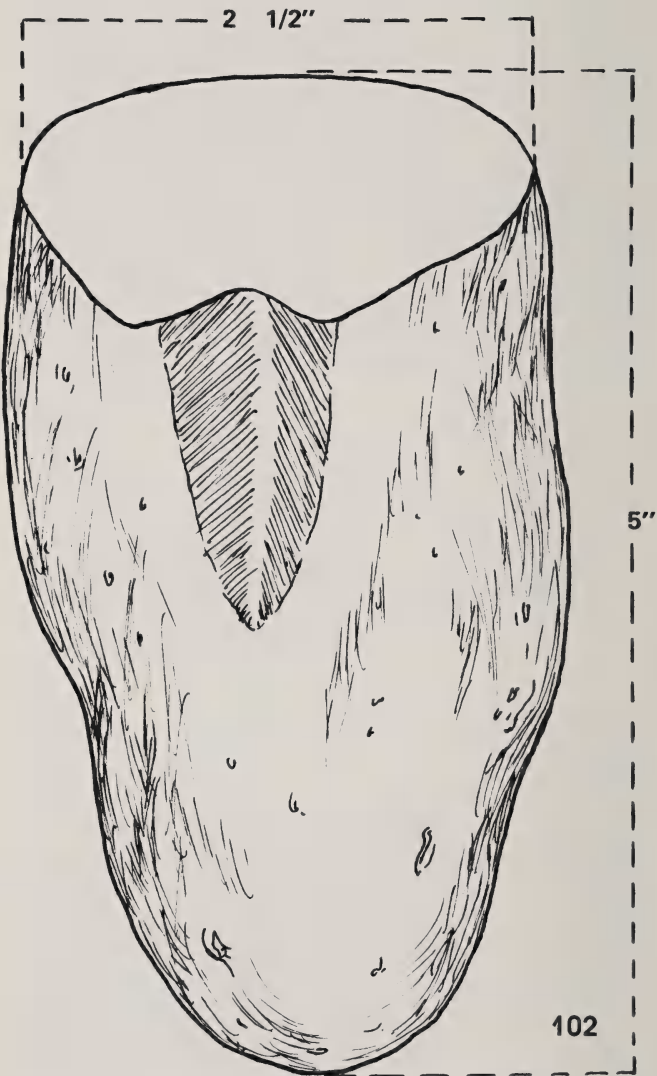


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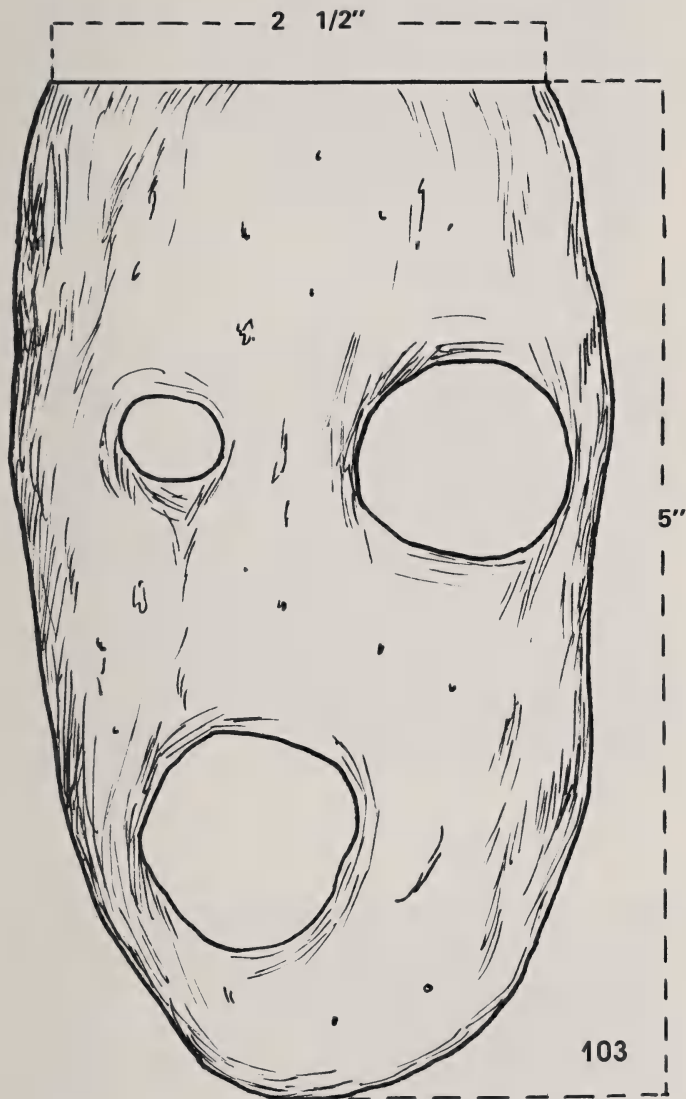
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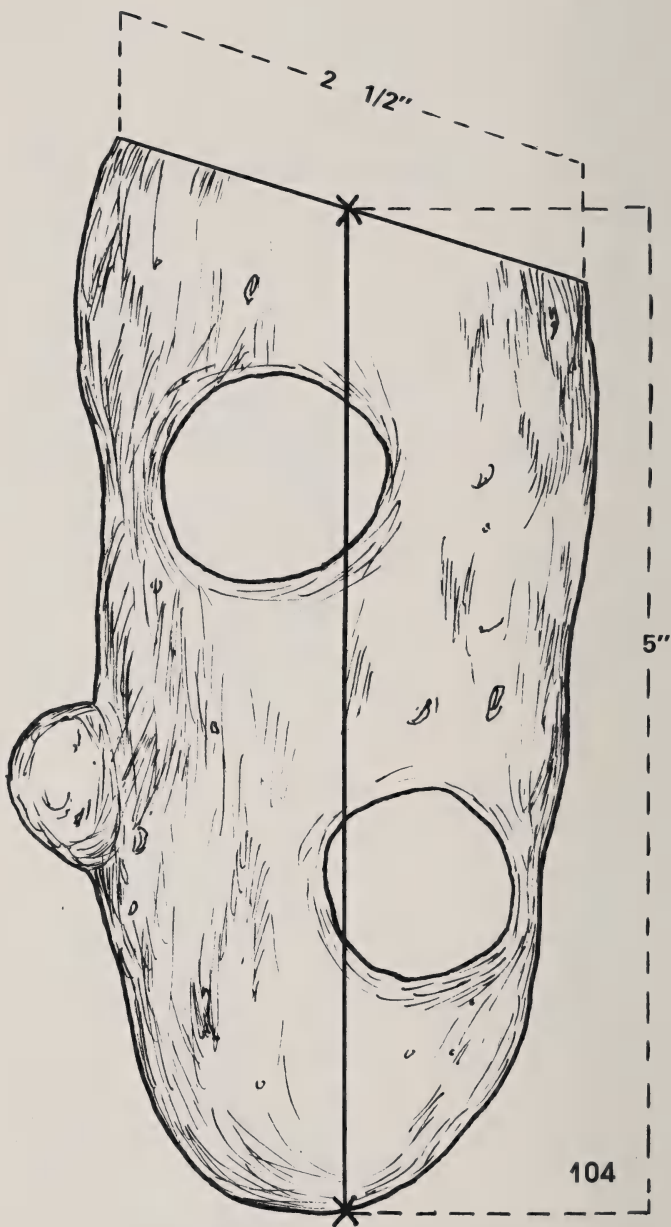
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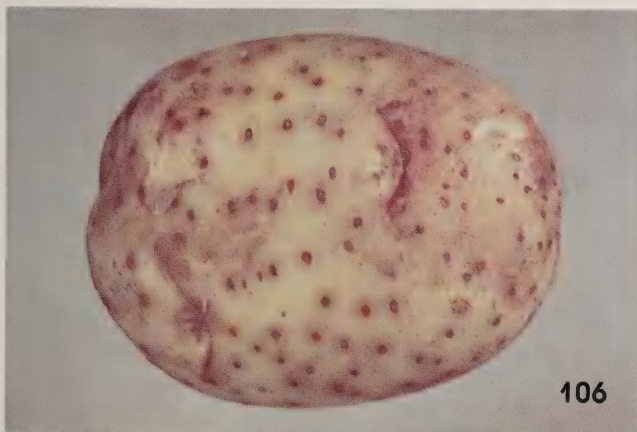
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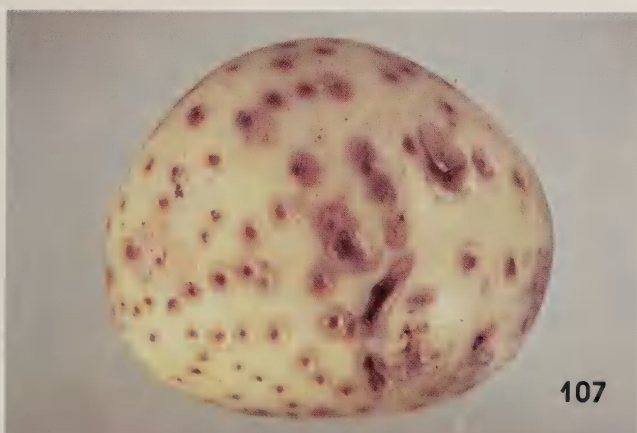
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* Equal amount or less allowed on opposite side.

CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS EXTERNAL DISCOLORATION



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U.S. No. 1 — maximum allowed



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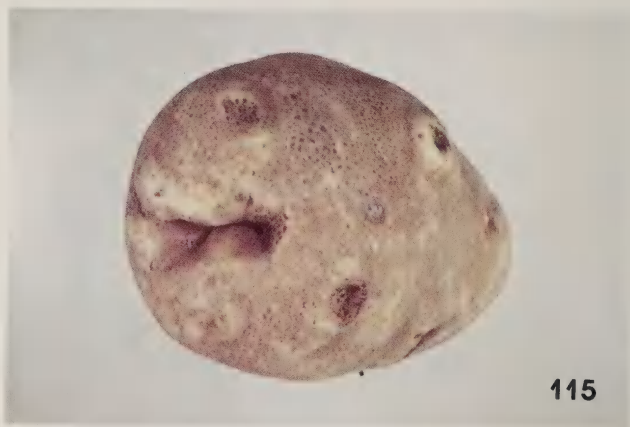
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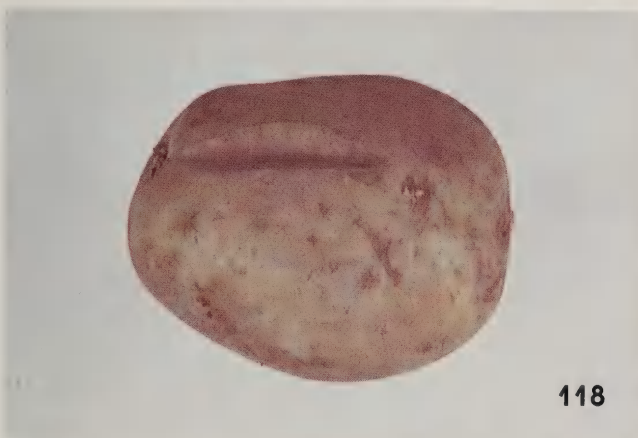
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CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS FOLDED END



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GROWTH CRACKS



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CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS GROWTH CRACKS



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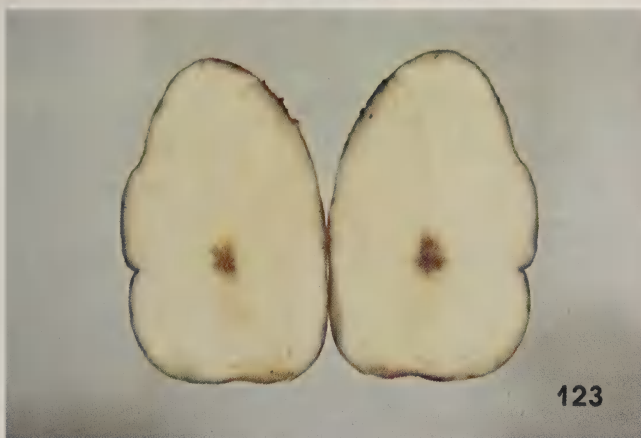
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CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS INTERNAL DISCOLORATION



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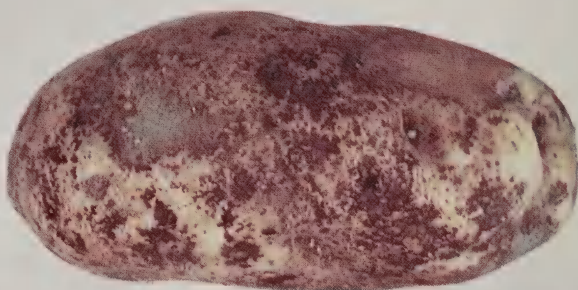
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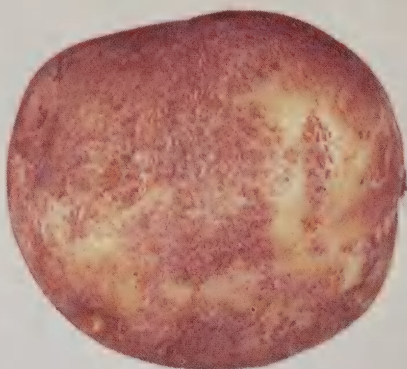
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CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS RHIZOCTONIA



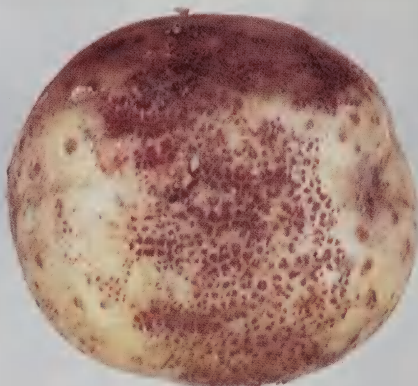
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RUSSETING
(for non-russet type potatoes)



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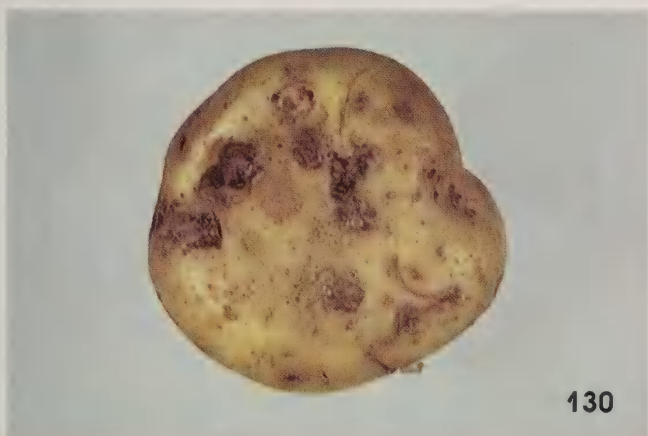
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CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS

SCAB, PITTED



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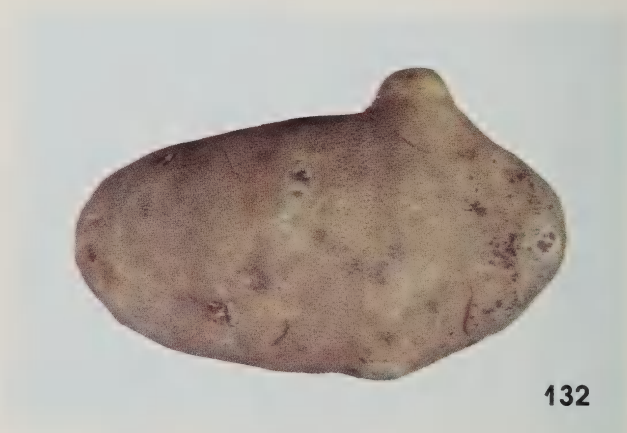
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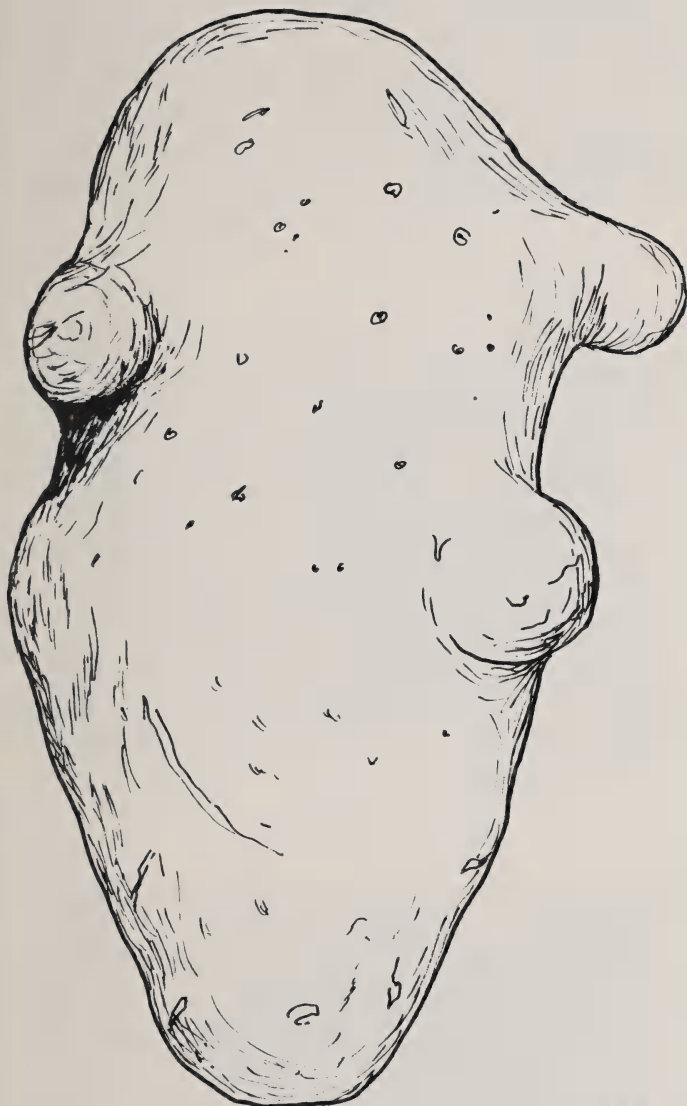
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CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS

SECOND GROWTH



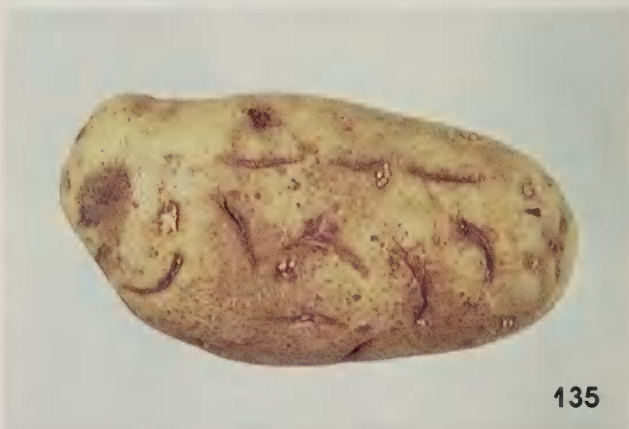
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CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS SKIN CHECKS



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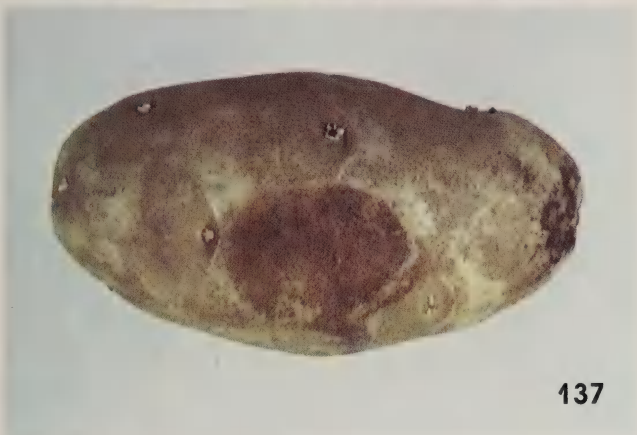
SPROUTS, CLUSTERS



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CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS FLATTENED OR DEPRESSED AREAS



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SUNKEN DISCOLORED AREAS



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SURFACE CRACKS

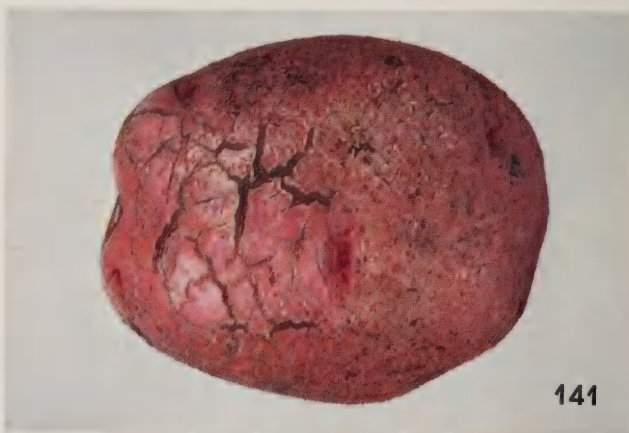


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CLASSIFICATION OF DEFECTS SURFACE CRACKS



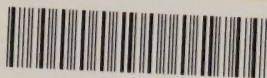
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